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SUBJECT: PNM CONVENTION

CINCLANT FOR POLAD

REF: POS 1216

1. RULING PEOPLE'S NATIONAL MOVEMENT (PNM) PARTY CONVENTION SATURDAY PASSED A RESOLUTION URGING PRIME MINISTER WILLIAMS TO REMAIN POLITICAL LEADER OF THE PARTY OR AT LEAST REMAIN UNTIL THE CONVENTION ELECTS A NEW LEADER. THEN THE CONVENTION TEMPORARILY ADJOURNED TO BE RECONVENED AT AN UNSPECIFIED FUTURE DATE TO COMPLETE SUCH UNFINISHED BUSINESS AS ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

2. ELECTION FOR PARTY LEADER NOW IS WIDE OPEN. WILLIAMS SAID IN HIS SPEECH THAT HE WOULD NOT PARTICIPATE IN SELECTION OF A NEW LEADER. EVEN THOUGH WILLIAMS IS REPLACED IN HIS PARTY POSITION HE COULD REMAIN PRIME MINISTER UNTIL NEXT NATIONAL ELECTIONS. PRESS
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SPECULATION ON A SUCCESSOR SO FAR HAS CENTERED ON

KAMALUDDIN MOHAMMED, ONE OF THREE DEPUTY POLITICAL
LEADERS AND SENIOR MEMBER OF THE PARTY AFTER DR. WILLIAMS,
AND ON FORMER ATTORNEY GENERAL AND PARTY VICE CHAIRMAN KARL
HUDSON-PHILLIPS, WHO IN RECENT MONTHS HAS CALLED FOR A
REJUVENATION OF THE PARTY.
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